

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



APPLICANT:

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TITLE:

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

This paper is in response to an Office Action dated December 8, 2006 having a due date for response set to expire on March 8, 2007.

IN THE CLAIMS

Claims 3, 5, 7-8, 12, 24, 26, 28-29, and 40-43 were previously canceled.

Amend the claims per the attached listing starting on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 10.